PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Atsunari TSUDA

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A. ABDULSELAM

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For:

ELECTRO-OPTICAL APPARATUS AND METHOD OF DRIVING THE SAME

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 3, 2005, Office Action, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Claims 1-14 are pending in this application.

Applicant appreciates the courtesies shown to Applicant's representative by Examiner Abdulselam in the July 22 personal interview. The reasons presented at the interview as warranting favorable action are incorporated into the remarks below and constitute Applicant's record of interview.

The Claims Define Patentable Subject Matter I.

The Office Action rejects claims 1-14 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) over JP Pub. No. 07-175429 to Keijiro. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

Claims 1-14 are not anticipated by Keijiro. As agreed during the personal interview, Keijiro does not disclose an electro-optical apparatus that includes "a display controller that outputs a signal to said driver at the timing detected by said timing detection device to always